

The Cumberland Foster Care FACTS

Based on all children in OOHC on February 05, 2012 Source TWS-W058 statewide Total

Demographic Indicator	Number	Percent within Region	Number	Percent within State
Total Number of Children in OOHC with Active Placements (note E, F)	620		6,548	
Placed in PCC Foster Homes	97	15.6	2,300	35.1
Placed in PCC Residential	60	9.7	1,040	15.9
Placed in Relative Placement	44	7.1	216	3.3
Total Number placed in DCBS Foster Homes all types (note A)	398	64.2	2,748	42.0
Placed in DCBS Basic and Advanced Foster Homes	339	54.7	2,422	37.0
Placed in DCBS Care Plus or Medically Fragile Homes	51	8.2	210	3.2
Placed in DCBS Adoptive Home	8	1.3	116	1.8
Placed in Detention Center	4	0.6	23	0.4
Placed in Independent Living or Education Setting	3	0.5	93	1.4
Placed in Psychiatric Hospitals	14	2.3	120	1.8
Placed out of state (note B)	9	1.5	76	1.2
Age at First Entry into Foster Care				
Age at First Entry into Foster Care: Less than 1 year	97	15.6	1,073	16.4
Age at First Entry into Foster Care: 1 to < 3 years	81	13.1	900	13.7
Age at First Entry into Foster Care: 3 to < 6 years	96	15.5	1,069	16.3
Age at First Entry into Foster Care: 6 to < 12 years	179	28.9	1,624	24.8
Age at First Entry into Foster Care: 12 to < 18 years	167	26.9	1,878	28.7
Demographics				
African American Children	19	3.1	1,178	18.0
Children with a Goal of Adoption	78	12.6	1,689	25.8
Children with a Goal of Reunification (note C)	401	64.7	3,255	49.7
Children with a Goal of Emancipation	31	5.0	523	8.0
Average Age of Entry into foster care	7.6		7.5	
Average Age Now	10.5		10.5	
Average # Months in Care at this Point in Time	19.5		24.4	
Average Percent of Life in Care	24.3		28.4	
Average Number of Days to Re-Enter for those with any Re-Entry	972.2		765.5	
Average Number of Placements this Removal Episode	2.8		3.2	
Cost Data				
Number of Children with Per Diem payments listed	542		5,937	
Average Cost Per Day for Child with Per Diem Payments	\$53.93		\$71.62	
Average Cost per Child for Average Months in Care (note D)	\$32,064.26		\$53,236.04	

A. Includes DCBS adoptive homes, basic and advanced, medically fragile homes.

B. Includes relative placements, adoptive homes, treatment facilities, and homes just over the border.

C. Other goals include placement with relatives, planned permanent living or the goals have not been determined.

D. Total costs per child will be higher because children in this number have not exited care.

E. Includes 40 Statewide duplicate placements as 'bed held' during hospital, detention or other short term stays.

F. Includes 7 Regional duplicate placements as 'bed held' during hospital, detention or other short term stays.